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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1-25. (Canceled)

26. (Currently Amended) A window and wall reinforcement assembly comprising:

[[A]] <u>a</u> wall-reinforcement assembly for a wall of a building structure having an adjacent floor and ceiling, comprising a first wall-adjacent layer formed wholly or substantially of fibre reinforced composite flexible material, and a second layer comprising one or more high tensile strength flexible material reinforcement pieces <u>having a balance of strength and flexibility selected for shock loading</u>, wherein at <u>least one of said reinforcement pieces</u> [[is]] <u>are</u> secured to the floor and/or the ceiling of the building structure; and

a transparent assembly having a frame, a transparent panel and one or more flexible material reinforcement pieces having a balance of strength and flexibility selected for shock loading, the flexible material reinforced pieces of the transparent assembly extending laterally from the panel to provide non-rigid attachment of the panel to the frame, in conjunction with the wall-reinforcement assembly, wherein the frame is secured to the reinforcement pieces of the wall-reinforcement assembly so that impact loading on the panel is transferred through the frame and to the reinforcement pieces of the wall reinforcement assembly in a non-rigid manner.

27. (Currently Amended) [[An]] The window and wall reinforcement assembly as claimed in Claim 26 wherein the reinforcement pieces are secured to a rigid part of the floor and/or the ceiling.

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28. (Currently Amended) [[An]] The window and wall reinforcement assembly as claimed in Claim 26 wherein the first composite layer is a sheet of glass fibre reinforced plastic or aramid material, either loose or in resin, extending across the area of the wall to be reinforced.

29. (Currently Amended) [[An]] The window and wall reinforcement assembly as claimed in Claim 26 wherein the pieces of the second layer comprise a series of parallel straps.

30. (Currently Amended) [[An]] The window and wall reinforcement assembly as claimed in Claim 26 wherein the assembly includes a third layer adapted to provide an internal finished layer.

31-40. (Canceled)